

THE EVENING NEWS.

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BENTON HARBOR, MICH., MONDAY, JULY 25, 1898.

TWO CENTS

ABRACE OF RUNAWAYS

Team Runs Full Speed Over Sidewalk on Water Street and Seriously Injures a Man.

MOVING PICTURE MAN VICTIM.

Another Runaway Occurred on Union Street and the Driver Was Knocked Unconscious.

A serious runaway occurred in this city last evening about 6:30 which resulted in one man getting seriously injured and several others escaping injuries by almost a miracle.

An artist named Kunz with his wife and child and a Mr. Mueller and his wife procured a two seated carriage and team from Liverman Jones in St. Joseph and drove to this city to call upon their friend, Dr. J. J. Fabry. They drove up to the front of the doctor's drug store when in some manner a barrel standing on the sidewalk fell over and rolled by the horses which so frightened them that they dashed upon the sidewalk and ran past the Phoenix hotel at a terrific rate of speed. There were many people standing on the walk and many were sitting in front of the hotel. Everyone succeeded in getting out of harm's way except Charles F. Lester who had been sitting in front of the hotel and when he saw the team coming he got up from his chair just in time to be struck by the pole of the carriage. The blow knocked him under the horses' hoofs and horses and carriage passed over him.

The team headed for the canal but when at the corner of River and Water streets the man in the carriage succeeded in grabbing one line and turned them in a circle. Two wheels of the carriage were broken and things were generally broke up.

Mr. Lester, the man injured by the accident, was carried to the office of Dr. Sowers, where Mrs. Sowers and Tutton found that one rib on the right side was fractured and his body was frightfully bruised. He was taken to the home of some friends on Center street where he is resting as well as can be expected today. Mr. Lester is of the firm of Lester & Kent who are in the city presenting the animated views at the bicycle track.

It is a wonder that more people were not injured by the runaway and had it happened a half hour earlier, when the excursionists were on their way to the Big Four train, many would have been seriously injured, if not killed.

Messrs. Kunz and Mueller, who were in the rig, paid \$14 to get the carriage repaired and will pay anyone who was harmed by the accident if they will leave their address with Dr. Fabry.

ANOTHER RUNAWAY.

Farmer on Napier Avenue Narrowly Escaped Death.

At 9 o'clock Sunday night as Mr. Bartells, a farmer living on Napier avenue, was driving home over Union street his team was frightened by a piece of blowing paper and ran away.

Mr. Bartells was thrown out and the wheels ran over him. He was picked up by George Barnhart and other neighbors in an unconscious condition. He was taken home and this morning was able to walk though his head and body is badly bruised.

FIGHT OVER.

Lieut. Daigneau Thinks It's Over With Company I.

In a letter from Lieut. Daigneau written at Santiago July 9 to his parents, he says:

"We will not get any more fighting unless attacked by some small company. With the fall of Santiago I think the war will be practically over and the volunteers here sent back to the United States. We are guarding the base of supplies and taking care of the sick and wounded and making a record for ourselves in that line. Sick and wounded soldiers will never forget the 33d."

"Our wounded man Felch is out walking around. While we have a few sick men none are seriously ill. While we will get no credit for the fall of Santiago, we have been through one battle and are on record with the men having shown great coolness under fire. We have been worked nearly to death building bridges, unloading boats and the like but we have been ordered to rest. The lady nurses / e deserve great praise, and are New York society girls."

"It is awful to go thru the hospital and see the sick and wounded, but the most pitiful sight I ever saw are the women and children coming in from Santiago. The road is lined with these refugees, women carrying bundles too heavy for bronchos. The men treat the women like dogs."

Lieut. Daigneau hopes he will be allowed to accompany the Porto Rico expedition. He adds that Company I hated to give up Stevens and Morton, two of the merriest of the boys in the company.

THE WEATHER.

Wednesday and Tuesday warm.

WILL LEAVE CUBA SOON

Dr. Bell Receives Assurance from Gen. Alger.

The following letter received in Benton Harbor today will be of great interest to every parent who has a boy in Cuba:

War Department, Washington, D. C. July 22—Dr. George M. Bell, Benton Harbor, Mich.: I have your letter of 19 inst. Just as soon as it is safe to do so troops will be removed from Santiago, the immune regiments being left to garrison the place.

Russel A. Alger, Sec'y. of war.

STARVING.

Appalling Condition in Havana Reported.

Key West, July 25.—The mortality in Havana among the working classes is very great, fully 50 per cent being from starvation.

The insurgents are so active about Havana that the provision problem is rapidly growing worse. Few fresh vegetables are now reaching the city.

GEN. FRED GRANT

He Has Been Ordered to Porto Rico.

Chattanooga, July 25.—The third brigade, consisting of 1st and 3d Kentucky, and 5th Illinois leave here tomorrow morning for Porto Rico, Gen. Fred Grant commanding.

6,000 VISITORS.

MANY SPENT SUNDAY IN THE TWIN CITIES.

Employees of the Siegel & Cooper Big Store Came Over on the City of Milwaukee.

Benton Harbor and St. Joseph were full of visitors yesterday, there being fully 6,000 visitors here for the day. The employees of Siegel & Cooper came over on the steamer City of Milwaukee and many were turned away who desired to cross on that steamer. The visitors were brought here as follows: City of Milwaukee.....1,500 City of Chicago.....1,200 State of Ohio.....1,200 Big Four railroad.....1,600 Vandalia railroad.....600 Total.....6,100

10,000 MORE SPANIARDS FOLLOW TORAL'S EXAMPLE.

Santiago, July 25.—It is reported that Gen. Luguo and ten thousand Spanish soldiers, who have been holding Holguin, have evacuated the town. If true, report indicates the intention of the Spaniards to surrender the entire east end of the island. The probable plan is to concentrate forces and make a determined stand in western provinces at Havana.

SAMPSON'S REPORT OF NAVAL FIGHT WILL BE MADE PUBLIC TONIGHT

Washington, July 25.—Secretary Long has completed his examination of Admiral Sampson's report of the destruction of Cervera's fleet and the document will be given the press tonight.

BLOCKADE RUNNER

Regulus Sailed Under English Flag.

Awful Tales of Suffering and High Prices

Key West, July 25.—The search of the prize steamer Regulus has revealed a large quantity of mail from Americans and Spaniards in Cuba to friends in this country and Spain.

The letters tell stories of terrible suffering principally near Sagua la Grande where the Regulus landed. Her cargo consisted principally of provisions, all of which were seized by the Spanish soldiers as soon as she landed. The eatables brought fabulous prices. Flour sold for \$35 per sack, rice \$75 per sack.

The military authorities refused to allow any private individuals to buy any part of the cargo, which sold for more than \$200,000. It is believed that this money will be found on board the boat after further search.

An agreement was found among the ship's papers signed by the owners of the cargo, whereby the latter agreed to pay the owners \$50,000 in the event of capture.

Although the vessel was sailing under the English flag and owned by an English firm the authorities claim to have evidence that she is a blockade runner and will be a prize of war.

"Headlight Flashes" Ditched.

The first load of "Headlight Flashes" was brought over from the A. B. Morse printing house this afternoon on a dray owned by Slater & Harold. A street car track pulled a wheel off the dray and "Headlight Flashes" were ditched.

INFERNAL MACHINE FOUND

Washington Expects to Hear from Him Today.

Washington, July 25.—The administration is awaiting advice from Gen. Miles, hoping to hear sometime today that the first Porto Rican expedition has reached its destination, and a safe landing of troops accomplished.

Washington, July 25.—The First Florida, Second Georgia and Fifth Maryland volunteers have been ordered to Porto Rico.

Washington, July 25.—Gen. Brooks will sail for Porto Rico tomorrow.

BELIEVE LANDED.

President Takes This View of Miles' Expedition.

Washington, July 25.—There was no meeting of the war council today at the White House. Secretary Long was in conference with the president a short time. When the latter was asked if any important naval move was to be made he said that nothing definite had been decided.

Nothing was heard from Gen. Miles today but it is believed by the president and his advisers that he has landed on Porto Rico.

Transports are being made ready and a vast army will sail for Porto Rico this week.

AN ARMISTICE.

Spain Wants to Stop the War and Talk Peace Awhile.

London, July 25.—A dispatch from Madrid says that the Spanish government has drawn up a message addressed to the government at Washington, proposing an armistice for the purpose of discussing terms upon which peace may be arranged.

LATE BULLETINS.

Paris, July 25—Madrid advises say that riotous demonstrations have occurred in Grenada.

Washington, July 25—The navy department is again considering the establishment of a naval station in Hawaii. Estimates are being made of cost.

Wheat Markets.

Chicago, July 25.—Wheat 74; corn 55; oats 24.

Jackson's Gun Store

makes me weary to see how cheap Bicycles are being sold in Benton Harbor this season. Next year they will not be worth more than \$1.75 for a great gross. A large hayrack full of all kinds of unredeemed Bicycles at \$13, \$14.00 and \$15.00 each. 99 unredeemed watches of all kinds at 5% value. 96 gold rings of all kinds at 40 per cent on the dollar. Revolvers and shotguns, the largest stock and the lowest prices in either city. I will pay \$1.25 apiece for all the gold dollars that I can get. Will pay cash for OLD GOLD. Will buy the receiver's certificates of the First National bank. Will cash the time checks of the M. B. H. & C. R. Men's suits of clothing bought and sold.

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BELIEF IN PRAYER.

Benton Harbor Recognized Its Power Last Night.

Touching Scene at the Union Y. M. C. A. Meeting.

Silent Prayers of Congregation Offered for Boys in Blue.

An Able Address by Hon. Thomas O'Hara.

Noted Lawyer and Jurist Made Religious Confession.

The four or five hundred people who attended the union Y. M. C. A. meeting at the First Methodist church last evening will never forget the occasion. The meeting was in the interests of the grand work being carried on by the Young Men's Christian association in the army.

No revival meeting ever warmed the hearts and opened the sympathies of people as did these exercises. The choir was composed of a score of young men whose voices blended in one grand harmony. Rev. Dr. Craig read a lesson from the scripture. Rev. Mr. Omeret offered prayer, and then followed the reading of letters from two of the boys who went forth from Benton Harbor to battle for their country.

The letters were read by Rev. E. A. Hoffman. The first was written by Ralph Shauman who described the good work the Y. M. C. A. was doing among the soldiers. The second letter was from Corporal Edward J. Stevens, a member of Mr. Hoffman's congregation. Before he left for the front Mr. Stevens was on the program to lead a Christian Endeavor meeting three months in advance. When his evening came to lead the meeting of course the soldier was not there, but instead was a letter from him to be read at the meeting.

The young officer wrote that he never realized what a comfort the church and Christian Endeavor were to him until he was deprived of them. He described the prayermeetings in camp. At one of the testimonial meetings a rough soldier surprised them all by speaking. He said that he had promised his wife and children when he left for war that he would become a Christian but he had failed to keep the promise but he had fully resolved from that time on to make it good. Another testified that no one was ashamed to belong to Uncle Sam's army and he declared it was much greater honor to be a member of God's army. It was a helpful sight to see men with their side arms singing and praying. About the only songs sung in camp are gospel songs.

The letter of Corporal Stevens goes on to describe how one of the Benton Harbor boys received a Bible from his mother. On the fly leaf in the mother's hand was written: "I have never been a Christian and have never encouraged you to be one. When I saw you board the cars at Benton Harbor I wished you were a Christian. Read this little book every day and on the back fly leaf you will find marked passages. The night the Bible was received the boy was found at the Y. M. C. A. meeting. The letter closed with the Christian Endeavor motto: "The Lord watch between me and thee while we are absent one from another."

The address of the evening was delivered by Hon. Thomas O'Hara and that noted lawyer and jurist spoke of the faith he wished he had but did not possess and in a simple way told of the good the churches did in the community and how regular attendance at Sunday school had made better his own son. He made no attempt at oratory but what was better opened the secret hopes of his own heart which touched the hearts of others until there played about his words the strains of the tender music of sympathy.

At the close of the address James Pound, the father of Lieut. Pound, arose in the center of the church and with a voice which displayed great emotion, requested that the congregation spend a moment in silent prayer for the boys in blue. Every head was bowed and hundreds of silent prayers ascended closing with an earnest prayer by Rev. W. P. French.

The Y. M. C. A. has already spent \$20,000 in its army work and will require \$30,000 more to September 1.

Envelopes were distributed and a good amount raised for the cause.

JUDGE O'HARA'S ADDRESS.

Chattel Mortgages and Preaching Don't Go Together—His Own Religion.

Judge Thomas O'Hara spoke as follows:

"I am glad to be with you tonight. I came to St. Joseph when I was a boy. Twenty years ago there were but few men and women in St. Joseph and Benton Harbor with whom I was not acquainted. I have lived in both towns and many of your people know my history. I have many reasons to love the home town of Wells Brown, P. M. Kinney, A. B. Riford, John Morrison, H. C. Morton, S. F. Heath and many others. Why make mention of these names? Because they were not only representative citizens of your town but they were good and kind to me. Hundreds of others in this town have been kind to me and although I came here a poor boy never for that or any other reason have I been given snub or slight by any citizen of Benton Harbor. Do you wonder that I love your town?

"I love men, women and children more than I love lands, buildings and metals. Wherever I have been I have never thought of your town, have never seen its name in print, without tender recollections of many of your citizens.

"This meeting has been called to provide for the welfare of the boys who went out from here in response to the president's call for volunteers. We knew most of these boys, have known them from their childhood. The boys from Company I, are not all from Benton Harbor but whether their homes are here, or in St. Joseph, Berrien Springs, Niles, Galien, Coloma, Waterfleit, Twelve Corners, Baroda, River-side, Millburg, Bridgeman, Decatur, Fennville, Chicago, South Arm, or any other town, our hearts go out to them and we pray God to bless and protect them.

"My parents are Roman Catholics. They were born in Ireland. I have never had reason to be ashamed of their religion or their nationality. Careless when a boy, my carelessness ripened into indifference and for 2 years I have not attended church of any denomination except upon funeral occasions and a few times when I have accompanied friends and relatives. I have never renounced Catholicism nor have I ever entertained a thought of embracing Protestantism. Would to God I had the sincere and sweet belief that so many Catholics and Protestants profess to have. Give me that belief and give me strength sufficient to live a Christian life and my happiness would be well-nigh complete and little would I care whether I worshipped under Catholic or Protestant roof.

"Do not say to me that a man is a hypocrite who does not practice what he preaches. A man may use intoxicants and yet attempt, and be thoroughly sincere and conscientious in his efforts, to point out to his sons, to his employees and others, the great danger there may be in the use of intoxicants. A man may gamble and be guilty of immorality and yet it would well-nigh break his heart to see his children follow in his footsteps.

"Seldom indeed, is there a fallen woman who would not give her life to save her daughter's virtue and the books are full of cases of which women, weak in everything but love, have so watched over and cared for their daughters as to fit them to grace the throne of either wife or mother in any home.

"I have not attended church because I have not cared to play the hypocrite, knowing as I have that the belief so commonly professed by others had never come to me and that it would be mockery for me to join in certain exercises in any church. I have never failed, however, to believe that churches and church work in any community tend toward the betterment of the condition of the people in that community and that it would be a sorry day for our people to witness no churches and no religion in our country.

"I believe that the Sunday school is one of the best institutions in America. The surroundings, influences, the teachings, the companionships and the associations are generally good. Very few of the teachers are corrupt and very few of the children are ever corrupted by their teachers or class members. My boy Barratt left Central America where he was but 14 years of age. He was in Michigan two years without home of his own and was far removed from parents, brother and sister. From the time he was four years old he had attended Sunday school regularly. He liked the work, his teachers, the boys and girls with whom he studied. When he returned from Central America he again took up the work and the members of the families with whom he boarded encouraged him. I believe that Barratt is a better boy, that his heart is warmer and his thoughts are cleaner than if he had never attended the Sunday school."

After speaking of the Y. M. C. A. work in general Mr. O'Hara said: "Should it be practicable to establish Y. M. C. A. tents in Cuba and

other sections which our boys have invaded I hope and pray for their establishment and I pray too that big-hearted and broad-minded men may be given charge of the tents. A minister of the gospel cannot be a successful preacher and at the same time let out his money on chattel mortgage securities. No matter how eloquent he may be in the pulpit, how strong in conference or convention, how bright and clever in social gatherings, the minister who, while acting as a pastor, establishes a reputation as a clever financier is not longer fit to minister to all the spiritual wants of his congregation. Send down men with hearts like those of G. W. Gosling of Berrien Springs and Herbert L. Potter of Buchanan and you will have men whose time devoted to the boys' welfare will leave no time for trading sutler's goods or discounting I. O. U.'s.

In closing his address Judge O'Hara said: "God b'ess this republic, God bless our people. God bless our soldiers and sailors, officers and privates, rich, poor, black, white, Protestant, Catholic, Jew, Mormon and unbeliever. May God grant us speedy and honorable peace, May He cause our officers to treat the privates with kindness and consideration.

"And if it shall be God's will that any of our own boys shall give their lives in the struggle let us pray that God may give to their relatives the sweet belief that the boys have gone to another and better world there to await the coming of their dear ones in Michigan."

A RAPID RISE.

How a Bainbridge Boy Has Prospered in Chicago.

It may be interesting to some to know that Edwin S. Spencer, who was born in Bainbridge and lived there until after his marriage, went to Chicago 12 years ago with limited means with his family consisting of his wife and three children and engaged to work for a firm at \$1.50 per day. Mr. Spencer is a son of Charles A. Spencer of Benton township, has a good, common school education and by his good habits, industry and economy has become a partner of the firm which is doing an extensive business in marbling and tiling. The firm has recently taken a contract for \$40,000 to marble and tile a building at Madison, Wis., and has contracts now for a year.

Direful Rheumatism.

MARVELOUS POWERS OF ENDURANCE AMONG THOSE WHO SUFFER.

What Gloria Tonic is Doing to Cure the Dreaded Malady.

The remarkable endurance of those who suffer with a severe form of rheumatism is without a counterpart in painful illness. Think of 25 years' constant fight against the malady with only brief periods of relief. It is no wonder that when finally cured such sufferers should write letters in testimony of the fact. Many people are suspicious of such letters. They either do not believe the facts or else they believe their condition to be very much worse and beyond the aid of medicine. A single trial of Gloria Tonic will give such pronounced relief in the very worst cases of rheumatism as to set aside all doubt. Such a letter as following shows the genuine appreciation in which Gloria Tonic is held: "Mr. J. A. Smith: Do not be offended for not having written before, but accept my heartfelt thanks for your 'Gloria Tonic' which completely cured me. I suffered for 25 years, am 70 years of age and thank God that I am well again. I can work better now than I could 10 years ago. Again accept my sincerest thanks and remain, yours very truly, H. Buchholz, Norborne, Mo. December 11, 1896."

Gloria Tonic is made by John A. Smith, 220 Summerfield Church Building, Milwaukee, Wis., and is on sale at all drug stores at \$1.00 per box. By sending your name and address to Mr. Smith he will be glad to send you a sample package of the remedy by mail prepaid so you may give it a test before buying the regular box at your druggist.

Michigan Pensions.

Michigan pensions were granted Friday as follows: Original—Albert Bahler, Mackinaw, \$6; William J. Mahaffey, (dead) Sandus, \$10. Increase—Charles Hays, Ithaca, \$12 to \$17. Re-issue—William Gore, South Camden, \$10; Joseph Booth, Lawton, \$16. Widow—Florence E. Bennett, Sunfield, \$8; Jane Comfort, Detroit, \$8; Chloia J. Curtis, Battle Creek, \$12; Anna Mahaffey, Sandus, \$8; Clarissa J. Cornwell, Petersburg, \$12.

EXCURSION RATES.

Benton Harbor Road Gives Travelers Cheap Rates.

The Milwaukee, Benton Harbor & Columbus railway will run trains for the young people's picnic at Berrien Springs August 3, 1898, as follows:

Leave Benton Harbor at 7 a. m., 10:45 a. m., 4 p. m. and 8 p. m.

Leave Buchanan at 8:30 a. m., 5:35 p. m. and 9:45 p. m.

Leave Berrien Springs for Benton Harbor at 8:57 a. m., 10:30 a. m., 6:08 p. m. and 10:12 p. m.

Benton Harbor to Berrien Springs 50 cents for round trip. Buchanan to Berrien Springs 30 cents for round trip.

The M. B. H. & C. Ry., will sell tickets August 5 to August 13, inclusive, to Pokagon, account Michigan conference Niles district camp meeting at Crystal Springs, at one and one-third fare for round trip.

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TWIN CITY TELEPHONE 172.

MONDAY, JULY 25, 1898.

THE congregation at the Y. M. C. A. union meeting last night paid as they prayed. They first prayed for the soldier boys and then when the opportunity to give toward the Y. M. C. A. work among the soldiers a collection of \$46.48 was lifted—over 10 cents each for every one in the church.

AGUINALDO, the insurgent leader in the Philippines, who has proclaimed himself dictator, will be a gorgeous spectacle when he adorns himself with all the insignia of office. As president of the council, he will wear a gold collar, with a triangular gold pendant, on which will be engraved a sun and three stars. He will carry a gold whistle and a stick with a gold tassel. Nobody in the United States will have any objection to this magnificence. Aguinaldo may wear ostrich feathers in his hair and a ring in his nose if he feels like it but if he wants to keep out of trouble he had better not interfere with Admiral Dewey.

GRAVE OF PATRICK HENRY.

Not in Richmond, but in Charlotte, Where He Lived.

Every now and then we see in some newspaper the query, "Where is Patrick Henry buried?" and tourists in Richmond constantly ask to be shown his grave, with the mistaken idea that it is in that city, where much of his public career was passed. Few people comparatively know that the man who acquired the title of "The Tongue of the Revolution" lies in a quiet grave on the estate in Charlotte county where he formerly lived. Over it is a marble slab inscribed with one line, "His fame his best epitaph."

The estate lies on Staunton river, 38 miles from the town of Lynchburg, near the border line which separates Charlotte and Campbell counties. It derived its name of Red Hill from the peculiar color of the soil in that vicinity. When Patrick Henry bought the place, it comprised about 3,500 acres. The land is rich—there was a saying in the neighborhood that poor land and Henry could never be mentioned together—corn grows there as high as a man on horseback; there is a general air of smiling fields and abundant prosperity. Its situation in early times was very remote. Neighbors were few, one of the nearest being the celebrated John Randolph of Roanoke, who lived in his chosen solitude 15 miles away.

Red Hill is now owned by Henry's grandson, William Wirt Henry, a clever, cultivated gentleman of the "old school." He has in his possession some most interesting relics of his celebrated grandfather, including the desk he always used, which still contains his letters from Lafayette, Washington, Madison and other great men of early days; the large, round backed chair in which Patrick Henry died and a portrait of him by the elder Sully, under which hangs a yellowed slip of paper, signed by Chief Justice John Marshall and several others of his friends, testifying to the faithfulness of the likeness.—Philadelphia Press.

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\$10 Reward.

Taken from Benton Harbor, the night of June 6, a medium sized all black cat about three and one-half years old. He was last seen near the residence of Mrs. Doctor Freeman. Any person returning the cat to me or giving information leading to its recovery will receive the above reward.

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Excursion.

Henry C. Rowe circle, ladies G. A. R., will have an excursion on the steamer Tourist July 28, to Somerton. The Home Forum Lodge, No. 389, will go in a body. A picnic dinner and general good time is expected. Let all who wish to visit that popular resort for 15 cents, remember the date and go with us. Steamer leaves Benton Harbor at 9 a. m., sharp, Thursday, July 28. Fare round trip, adults, 15 cents; children, 10 cents. Tickets are on sale at Miles' shoe store and Vandenberg's restaurant.

FOUR BATTERIES OFF.

Men and Guns Leave Camp Thomas to Reinforce Gen. Miles in Porto Rico.

ILLINOIS AND INDIANA ARTILLERY

Two of the Organizations That Are En Route to Hampton Roads—Gen. Grant's Brigade Scheduled to Leave Next—The Entire First Corps Stands a Good Show for Active Service—Knights of Pythias Establish a Hospital.

Newport News, Va., July 25.—The Third Illinois regiment arrived here yesterday afternoon in three special trains from Camp Thomas. The first train, bringing General Halles and the Second battalion in command of Major Shand, came in at 12:55 and the others rapidly followed. The men were camped north of the city on the banks of the James river. They will embark today on one of the transports for Porto Rico.

Chickamauga Park, July 25.—Although General James F. Wade assumed command at Camp Thomas Saturday as the successor of General Brooke he has not yet selected a location for his headquarters and is debating whether he will locate on the site. General Brooke had his headquarters near Battlefield station or pitch his tent on Snodgrass hill.

The only movement yesterday in connection with the Porto Rican expedition was the departure for Newport News of four batteries of light artillery as follows: Battery A, of Missouri; Battery A, of Illinois; Battery B, of Pennsylvania, and the Twenty-seventh Indiana battery. These batteries broke camp at 6 o'clock yesterday morning, marching to Rossville. Each of the four batteries had six guns, 100 horses and mules and from 140 to 175 officers and men. The first battery to leave was Battery A, of Illinois, commanded by Captain Phil Yeager; the next was the Twenty-seventh Indiana battery, commanded by Captain J. B. Curtis.

Troops Which Will Follow Next. The Third brigade of the First division, First corps, will be the next to leave Camp Thomas, and will probably go today or tomorrow. General Wade, it was authoritatively stated last night, received orders at a late hour last evening to rush this brigade to Newport News as promptly as he could get the necessary cars in position. The brigade consists of the First and Third Kentucky and the Fifth Illinois. It is the understanding that the First brigade of the Second division will be the next to follow the above brigade. According to the present plan regiments will continue to go out as fast as practicable until the First corps is exhausted.

Sunday at Camp Thomas.

The usual divine services by the chaplains and by the evangelists were conducted yesterday throughout the park. One hundred and sixty-two patients belonging to the volunteer army were removed yesterday from Leiter hospital at this place to a special train and taken to McPherson barracks hospital at Atlanta. Owing to the limited supply of

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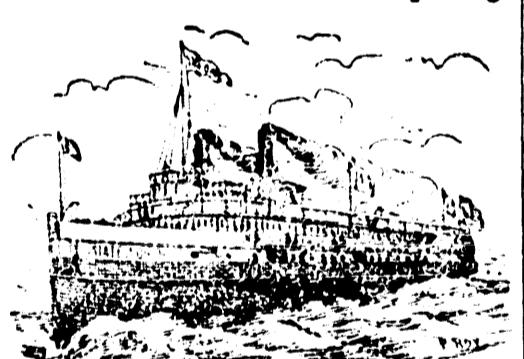
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THREE DEATHS.

MRS. COMSTOCK DIED AT ALBION SUNDAY.

Chicago Lady Here to Spend Summer
Dead—Mrs. Agnes Clark Ludlow
Died Saturday Night.

Mrs. Elizabeth Comstock, mother of Mrs. George B. Simons and known to many in our city, died at her home in Albion, Sunday morning. Her funeral services will be held Tuesday afternoon. Mrs. Simons, who has been caring for her mother for five weeks, is greatly prostrated. Rev. George B. Simons was present at the death bed.

Summer Resorter Dies.

Mrs. Trissie Coe, wife of F. L. Coe, of 1046 Ewing street, Chicago, died at Spring Bluff resort after an illness of four days with apoplexy. She was spending the summer at this resort with Mr. and Mrs. Hess and was accompanied by her two children, Clara and Glenn. She was an excellent woman and her sudden death is sadly mourned.

The funeral will be held from the summer cottage at 10:30 tomorrow followed with burial at Crystal Springs cemetery.

Mrs. Agnes Clark Ludlow Dead.

Mrs. Agnes Clark Ludlow died at her home on Vineyard avenue Saturday evening at the age of 83 years. The funeral will occur at Holy Trinity church tomorrow morning at 8:30 o'clock and the remains will be taken to Watertown, N. Y., for burial.

The deceased had the reputation of being miserly and although she owned several houses and lots and had money out on interest she was a hard worker and as long as able worked for other people.

Marriage Licenses.

Alton M. Tomilson, 24, Buchanan; Rachel Huff, 25, same.

George Flemming, 28, Stevensville; Catherine Neff, 25, same.

William A. Govee, 21, Benton Harbor; Rosalind Bicksley, 20, same.

Probate Court.

Lew Lopker appointed administrator of the estate of John C. J. Lopker, deceased late of St. Joseph.

Petition filed by Ernest S. Fuller, administrator of the estate of Jeffrey T. Turner deceased, to sell real estate of deceased in Grand Rapids, to pay claims against said estate. Hearing Aug. 22, at 10 a. m.

Rejoicing at Paw Paw.

Paw Paw, July 25.—The first broad gauge train from Lawton arrived at this place Saturday evening. Complete connections have been made with the Michigan Central. The road will soon be widened to Hartford, where it will connect with the C. & W. M. railway.

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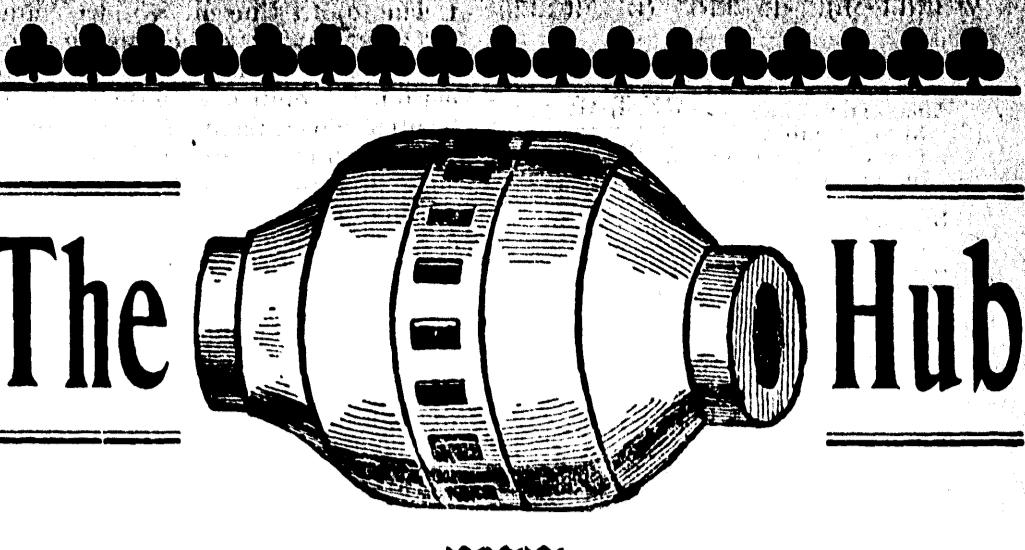
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(Adaptation from Greek prose of Philostratus.)

Thou blamest me because I sent
No rose unto thee,
But never slight to thee was meant,
Nor lack of love in me.

Nay, but I thought thine auburn hair
A garland more divine,
And crowned with thy roses fair,
Thou hadst no need of mine.

In Homer Molenger claims
No wreath but tresses bright.
Roses were flame upon the flames
Or light adorning light.

The rose is jealous, know it well,
And soon it falls and dies,
And legend saith its birth befell
In melancholy wise.

For Cyprus, hastening on her way,
Was pierced by a thorn,
And from her blood, the Cyprians say,
The cruel rose was born.

Wouldst thou be crowned? Oh, beware
Those blossoms pitiless!
They spared not Cyprus. Would they spare
Thy fragrant loveliness?

Then blame me not because I sent
No roses unto thee,
For never slight to thee was meant,
Nor lack of love in me!

—Percy Osborn in Fortnightly Review.

A DASH FOR NEWS.

I was the only American operator in eastern Cuba in February and March, 1898, which were very busy months in the cable office at Santiago, where I had been for four years. In the early part of 1896 we seldom handled more than 30 messages a day, but after the insurrection began the number rose to 90 and 100 daily, increasing a little every month.

The cable from Santiago to Spain goes under sea first to Kingston, Jamaica, thence to Porto Rico, thence to St. Croix, and from there to Paramaribo and Pernambuco in Brazil. Cables from Pernambuco cross the south Atlantic to St. Vincent, Cape Verde islands, and from St. Vincent other cables extend to Madeira, thence to Lisbon, and overland to Madrid. There is also a less direct cable from Pernambuco to St. Louis, in Senegal, Africa, and thence to the Canary islands and Cadiz.

Beside myself there was but one other operator in the Santiago office, Laurin Merode, a young Spaniard, who had learned cable work at Lisbon. We thought that 100 messages daily made work enough, but over 800 passed the day after the Maine was blown up in Havana harbor. Four more operators were needed, and we called to Havana for help, but no notice was taken of our appeal, and rather than desert our posts and leave the company's business undone we slaved night and day, always hoping the pressure would moderate.

One day we sent 13,742 words in over 1,100 dispatches, yet we were two hours "back" at midnight, with Havana fuming at us over the land wire, and still hurrying messages through the Cienfuegos cable. There were Spanish government cipher messages from Sagasta to Blanco, and Blanco cipher to Sagasta; reams of bombast from the Cuban correspondents of the Imparcial and Correo for Madrid, followed by more cipher to Weyler at Barcelona from his brother officers at Havana, and then the bankers and merchants quoting, selling and ordering!

To add to our vexations the "mouse mill" of the siphon recorder gave trouble constantly, and the clockwork that carries the record tape broke down every day or two. Now, a Spaniard is utterly without native ingenuity. Merode was a tolerably good operator, but when it came to rectifying faults of the instrument he was an infant, and all such tasks fell on me.

Anything like clockwork I can "tinker," but the mouse mill that works the siphon pen is a very delicate bit of mechanism, which assists the faint electric impulses that come great distances through the cable to move the ink point of the recorder to and fro on the tape.

I suppose I had taken the record tape clockwork and mouse mill apart 20 different times, and on the evening of the 2d of April, after Merode relieved me, I set to work to wind a new motor coil for the mouse mill, which had worked so very badly all day that rather than struggle with it longer I had determined to sit up all night and build a new mill.

The cable house at Santiago is a most lonesome place, particularly at night, but a Spanish sentinel was supposed to pass the door every three minutes. These poor fellows were rarely paid, and often looked in at the door to beg a cigarette. So when the outside door opened behind us that evening I supposed the intruder was the sentinel, and I did not even look around till an amused voice exclaimed, "Aha, señores, buenas noches!"

A Spanish sentinel begging a cigarette does not speak in that tone, so Merode and I faced round with a jump. There stood a rather tall, good looking young fellow, in a white duck suit and white cap, regarding us keenly, and a step behind him was a typical Cuban rebel—sombrero, long mustachios, broad belt, long boots, revolver and machete.

In an instant Merode was on his feet and shouted, "Sentinel!" at which our unexpected visitors laughed good humoredly, and the Cuban said, "I must beg the señor telegrafo not to distress himself concerning the worthy sentinel, for that watchful soldier is now lying comfortably on his back outside, with a gag in his mouth, and his bands are tied to his feet."

"Well, who are you and what do you want here?" I exclaimed in Spanish.

"The young man in white duck laughed. "You are an American; anybody could tell that by your Spanish. Oh, I know about you. Speak English."

"Certainly," I replied. "What do you want here?"

"The news."

"What news?"

"Are the Spanish warships, Vizcaya and Oquendo, still at Porto Rico? Has the torpedo flotilla arrived there, or has

it gone to St. Vincent, at Cape Verde?"

"It is contrary to the rules of the cable company for me to give such information," I replied. "Besides, all these Spanish government messages are in cipher, which I am not supposed to know anything about."

"Don't let the cipher trouble you," he replied laughing. "I have the key to their cipher all right."

"As to who I am," he continued, "my name's Macomber. I am the correspondent of the ——" He named an American journal. "News as to the whereabouts of the Spanish torpedo boats and those cruisers would be valuable just now, not only to my paper, but to the American navy at Key West. Now, you are an American, and a good patriot, I dare say. Will you help us out?"

"I'm a good patriot," said I. "And I am also an honest man, employed here to do a certain duty, which I will not betray."

"You will not help me, then? Very well, I shall examine your tapes by force."

"It is not my business to fight for Spain," said I. "I have no force to resist you, but I will not help you."

"Thanks! That's all I ask. Just you sit quiet."

"Do you think you can read our tapes?" I asked incredulously.

"Sure. I was a cable operator three years."

"But where did you get your cipher key?"

"That's a matter that was arranged in Havana three months ago. Your tape bobbins for the current week are in the table drawer, I presume!"

"Look for yourself," I said. "But my fellow operator here is a Spaniard. I do not speak for him. Señor Merode," I said in Spanish, "these gentlemen wish to see the record tapes."

Merode had stood listening, making out what we said with difficulty. "Nunca!" (never) he exclaimed excitedly and made a jump for the big table drawer, with some notion, I think, of destroying the tapes. He was a plucky fellow. But the Cuban seized him by the collar before he could open the drawer, flung him violently backward on the floor and drew his machete.

"Don't hurt him, Luiz," shouted Macomber, and then, after a steady glance at me, he stepped to the drawer himself and took out the rolls of tape.

"This will be a somewhat long and tedious business," he remarked, beginning to unroll one of them. "You might help me if you would, but at least oblige me by turning up the lamp a little and placing it on the table here."

"Thanks," he went on when I had compiled, and he began rapidly unrolling the tape through his fingers. He read well and fast, and his running comment amused me.

"Oh, this is a dandy siphon of yours, isn't it?" "What ails your mouse mill?" "Say, friend, your record here looks like the teeth of an old, dull buck saw." "Your ink's congealed."

I sat back and quietly looked on. Merode still lay on the floor. The Cuban stood watching us both. If Merode stirred, he shook his machete at him. Thus fully an hour passed. It seemed much more than an hour indeed before our American visitor found what he sought.

"Ah!" he exclaimed at last. "Here we are. So the Vizcaya and Oquendo left Porto Rico for St. Vincent last Sunday. Good. Blanco is informed that the torpedo flotilla is going to St. Vincent, too, instead of coming to Havana. That's all I wanted to know," he continued, turning to me. "Sorry to leave your tapes in such a mess, but I really cannot stop to roll them up again, for I must be well out to sea before daylight. Oblige us now, both of you, by remaining quiet here after we bid you good night."

But just then there was a new noise outside. The door opening to the street was flung back, and there stood a Spanish lieutenant from the fort, with half a dozen soldiers at his back, for the Spanish sentry—a boy of 18—who had gagged and tied up outside of the house, had proved more nimble than they had thought him. He had worked himself loose and had run to the fort for aid.

The Cuban turned instantly, killed the lieutenant with a swing of his machete and was at once shot down by a soldier who fired over the shoulder of his falling officer.

Macomber showed better judgment if less courage. He dashed the lamp out and grasped me by the arm. "Help me out," he said.

It would be difficult for any one to resist the appeal of a fellow countryman at such a time. While the soldiers rushed in, trampling and falling over the slain men and Merode, I pulled the American after me through a door, back of the tables, which opened into our battery room. In this back room was a window looking out on the harbor side, from which Macomber swung in an instant and decamped without a word. I had time to get forward into the cable room before Merode, who had regained his feet, struck a match and relighted the lamp. Of the grawsome spectacle which the light revealed I will not speak.

After the manner of Spanish justice, both Merode and myself were put under arrest pending an investigation, which showed that neither of us knew anything about the affair. Yet the commandant at Santiago suspected that I had planned it and sent me under arrest to Havana by steamer the following evening.

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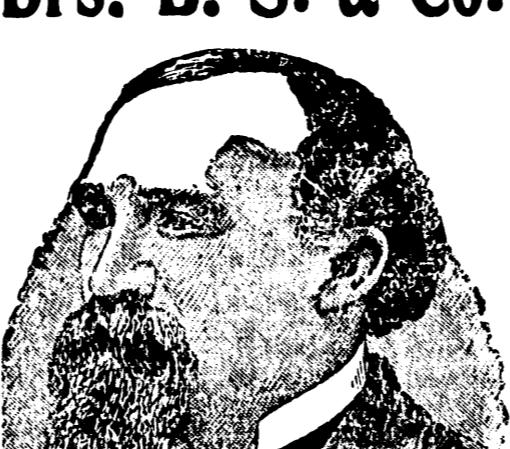
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Camp No. 40, meet the second and fourth Friday evening at 7:30 o'clock at G. A. Hall on West Main street. Visiting sovereigns will be cordially received.
JOHN R. GRADING, Consul Commander.
A. D. LACY, Clerk.

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Leaf Camp No. 901 meets every Monday evening at the Woodmen Hall on West Main street. Visiting Woodmen will be cordially entertained.
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N. G. WENELL, Clerk.

BENTON HOME FORUM, 389, MEETS THE
second and fourth Wednesdays of each month at Modern Woodmen hall. Visiting companions always welcome.
N. G. WENELL, president.
MRS. CANNIE SILVER, secretary.

CHICAGO & WEST MICHIGAN RAILWAY

In effect June 19, 1898.

GOING SOUTH.

Stations	a.m.	p.m.	a.m.	p.m.
Grand Rapids.....	2:15	7:30	3:40	6:55
Benton Harbor.....	4:32	10:53	6:05	9:40
St. Joseph.....	4:32	11:03	6:14	9:50
Chicago.....	7:30	2:10	9:05	....

GOING NORTH.

Stations	a.m.	p.m.	a.m.	p.m.
Chicago.....	7:20	4:15	8:15	....
St. Joseph.....	10:20	7:15	11:35	5:45
Benton Harbor.....	10:30	7:25	11:45	5:55
Grand Rapids.....	1:25	10:30	2:00	9:10
Chicago.....	....	....	....	....

DETROIT, G.D. RAPIDS & WESTERN R. R.

Trains leave Grand Rapids for Lansing and Detroit at 7:00 a.m., 1:25 p.m. and 5:35 p.m. For Saginaw at 7:10 a.m. and 4:20 p.m. For Parlor cars on all trains: seats 25 cents.

GEO. DEHAVEN, Gen. Pass. Agt., Grand Rapids.
JAS. MAHONEY, Asst., Benton Harbor.

THE BIG FOUR.

C. C. C. & S. L. RAILWAY.

MICHIGAN DIVISION.

No. 23 leaves Benton Harbor at 7:00 a.m. for Indianapolis, Louisville, Cincinnati and intermediate points. No. 25 leaves at 1:00 p.m. for Indianapolis, Louisville, Cincinnati and intermediate points. No. 27 leaves at 5:00 p.m. Elkhart accommodation. Arrive at Benton Harbor, No. 24, 8:50 a.m. No. 22, 8:10 p.m. No. 21, 11:00 p.m.

VANDALIA LINE

TIME TABLE.

Taking effect June 19, 1898.

SOUTH BOUND.

Stations	No. 3	No. 5	No. 9	No. 11	No. 13
St. Joseph	10:25 a.m.	4:00 p.m.	5:20 p.m.	6:00 p.m.	5:00
South Bend	11:45	5:13	6:18	7:21	6:15
Plymouth	12:30 p.m.	5:57	7:33	8:10	7:05
Ligonport	2:15	7:15	9:00	9:45	8:40
Ind. Indianapolis	5:45	....	....	....	....
Terre Haute	6:40	....	....	....	....

NORTH BOUND.

Stations	No. 10	No. 14	No. 20	No. 6
Terre Haute	1:00 p.m.	6:15 a.m.	6:15 a.m.	....
Ind. Indianapolis	11:45 a.m.	7:10	7:10	....
Ligonport	1:00 a.m.	6:05 a.m.	6:35 p.m.	10:40
Plymouth	8:24	7:31	5:57	12:05 p.m.
South Bend	10:10	3:20	6:30	12:53
St. Joseph	10:30	4:35	7:45	2:15

Trains No. 16 and No. 17 run on Sunday only, and all other trains daily except Sunday.

For complete Time Card, giving all trains and stations, and for full information as to rates, through cars, etc., address:

FRANK R. HALE, E. A. FORD,
Agent, St. Joseph, Gen. Pass. Agt.,
Mich. St. Louis, Mo.

Milwaukee, Benton Harbor & Columbus Railway Co.

TIME TABLE.

Effective Thursday, July 7, 1898.

GOING SOUTH.

Stations	No. 3	No. 5	No. 9	No. 11	No. 13
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Milwaukee, Wis.

Paw Paw Lake Train Service

In effect June 26, 1898.

Leave Benton Harbor week days—5:50 a.m., 10:30 a.m., 2:30 p.m. and 5:05 p.m.; except Saturday, Leave at 11:30 a.m., 1:15 p.m. and 4:00 p.m.

Leave Benton Harbor Sundays—5:50 a.m., 9:10 a.m., 2:25 p.m. and 6:05 p.m. Leave Paw Paw Lakes—8:00 a.m., 1:15 p.m., 5:00 p.m. and 9:05 p.m.

*Flag stations.

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A SPANISH BRAVADO.

REVOLTING SCENE PICTURED BY A CRETINIAN NOVELIST.

A Striking Description of the Daring and Courage Displayed by the Retired General Who Would Not Permit an Englishman to Outdo Him.

The realistic Spanish novelist, Valdes, in one of his most popular stories ("Sister San Suplice," translated by Nathan Haskell Dole) gives a description of a retired Spanish general's afternoon out which will illuminate many chivalric incidents in Spanish life and aptly illustrates the reckless daring and courage of which the average haughty don is liberally possessed. The scene is a sort of picnic grounds in the outskirts of Seville:

"Meantime the animation had been on the increase among the ruffians. The period of unmannerly action had come. One of them climbed upon the table to make a speech, and the others, by way of applause, threw sherry and manzanilla in his face. Another was trying to lift with his teeth a companion whom drunkenness had stretched out on the floor. He did not succeed. He merely tore his sack coat. Still others were committing absurd and extravagant actions, making a great noise and uproar.

"The count remained grave and silent, drinking one glass of sherry after another. But his eyes were no longer, as usual, incomprehensible and unfathomable, like those of a man tired of life. Though he did not speak or move about he seemed a different man.

"The Englishman had taken off his jacket and waistcoat, and, rolling up his shirt sleeves, was exhibiting his biceps, which were really powerful, and trying to break empty bottles on his arm. Once blood had come, but he went on breaking the bottles without paying any attention to it. Then he asked the waiter to bring a bottle of rum and a large glass. He filled this to the brim with the liquor. He then said to the count: "You can't do that."

"A flash of fury gleamed through the hale-brained nobleman's eyes, but he succeeded in restraining himself, and, turning the rest of the bottle into the glass, he calmly ordered the waiter to bring him some pepper. He threw in a pinch of it, then threw it into his cigar ashes heaped up before him, and, without saying a word, with the same scornful, contemptuous smile, drained the glass, and, not content with that, bit it in pieces. We saw his lips spotted with blood. The company received with glee and shouts of triumph this proof of an unconquerable stomach, in which it seemed as though the national honor were concerned.

"Our neighbors in the other booths must have reached the same happy grade of temperance, for nothing was heard but extravagant shouts, the crashing of glasses, coarse laughter and swearing.</p



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TWO BIBLE STORIES.

They Were Read in Camp by Corporal Ed. J. Stevens.

In his letter to the Presbyterian Christian Endeavor society Corporal Ed. J. Stevens wrote that every night he read a chapter from his Bible. One evening one of the roughest boys in camp asked him to read aloud. He opened the book at Isaiah 55, 1-13. After the reading the boy remarked, "I thought the Bible was written for other folks, but that chapter means me." Next night Corporal Stevens read from Jeremiah 17, 1-23, and the same boy said: "That means Spain."

Here are the two texts which Corporal Stevens read:

ISAIAH 55: 1-13.

Ho, every one that thirsteth, come ye to the waters, and he that hath no money; come ye, buy, and eat; yea come, buy wine and milk without money and without price.

Wherefore do ye spend money for that which is not bread? and your labor for that which satisfieth not? hearken diligently unto me, and eat ye that which is good, and let your soul delight itself in fatness.

Incline your ear, and come unto me; hear, and your soul shall live; and I will make an everlasting covenant with you, even the sure mercies of David.

Behold I have given him for a witness to the people, a leader and commander to the people.

Behold, thou shalt call a nation that thou knowest not, and nations that knew not thee shall run unto thee, because of the Lord thy God and for the Holy One of Israel; for he hath glorified thee.

Seek ye the Lord while he may be found; call ye upon him while he is near.

Let the wicked forsake his way, and the unrighteous man his thoughts; and let him return unto the Lord, and He will have mercy upon him; and to our God, for He will abundantly pardon.

For my thoughts are not your thoughts, neither are your ways my ways, saith the Lord.

For as the heavens are higher than the earth, so are my ways higher than your ways, and my thoughts than your thoughts.

For as the rain cometh down, and the snow from heaven, and returneth not thither, but watereth the earth, and maketh it bring forth and bud, that it may give seed to the sower and bread to the eater:

So shall my word be that goeth forth out of my mouth; it shall not return unto me void, but it shall accomplish that which I please, and it shall prosper in the thing whereto I sent it.

For ye shall go out with joy, and be led forth with peace: the mountains and the hills shall break forth before you into singing, and all the trees of the field shall clasp their hands.

Instead of the thorn shall come up the fir tree, and instead of the brier shall come up the myrtle tree: and it shall be to the Lord for name, for an everlasting sign that shall not be cut off.

FATAL ACCIDENT.

▲ Thirteen-Year-Old Hartford Boy Died Friday from His Injuries.

Mrs. Fred Hopkins and Mrs. H. Woodley of this city and Mrs. George Burkhardt of St. Joe h were called to Hartford Saturday by the death of their 13-year-old brother who died last Friday night from the effects of an accident which occurred last Wednesday. The little fellow was driving a team attached to a heavy lumber wagon from his father's farm outside of Hartford when one of the lines fell from his hand over the dash board. He stepped over the dash board to the wagon tongue and slipped and fell under the wagon in such a manner that the wheels passed over the small of his back. The funeral was held yesterday afternoon and was largely attended.

If You have been sick you will find Hood's Sarsaparilla the best medicine you can take to give you appetite and strength and restore you to a condition of perfect health.

Hood's Pills cure nausea, sick headache, biliousness and all liver ills. Price 25 cents.



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SOCIETY AND PERSONAL

Mrs. Ida Parks spent Sunday with relatives in Dowagiac.

Phil Kephart, of Berrien Springs, was in the city yesterday.

Wilford C. Toles spent Sunday with his mother and sister, Mrs. E. H. Toles and Mrs. F. B. Cary.

Alderman A. H. Rowe, who has been quite ill for a week past, was able to be at his grocery store today.

George F. Cunningham is in Saginaw attending the state convention of the deputies of the M. W. A.

Mrs. E. A. Blakeslee of Gallen spent Sunday in this city the guest of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. B. Graves.

Sarah Cary took the train Friday for Niles where she will spend a couple of weeks at the country home of Miss Viva Beal.

Mr. and Mrs. I. McIntyre, of Cressline, Ohio, arrived today to spend a few weeks with Mr. and Mrs. I. Brubaker.

Mrs. Basil Rupel, of South Bend, and Mrs. Belle Brooks, of Cassopolis, spent Sunday with their sister, Mrs. A. Hamlin, in this city.

Charles Bjork has returned from South Haven where he has been engaged in painting boats for the H. W. Williams Transportation company.

Austin Crago of Grand Rapids is in the city and will move here as soon as he can secure a house. He has secured a position with the R. G. Peters lumber company.

Miss Edith Storn, saleslady in the department store of Enders & Young, is enjoying a two weeks' vacation. She left today for a few days' visit with friends in Buchanan.

Mr. and Mrs. Howard Presting of Muncie, Ind., spent Sunday in this city the guest of Mr. and Mrs. Charles Bowman. Mrs. Presting will be remembered by many in this city as Miss Eva Lord.

Mr. and Mrs. Eugene Crowell of Crown Point, Ind., and Mr. and Mrs. Delos Messler of Chicago, who have been visiting Mr. and Mrs. F. W. Foster, Clay street, returned home this morning.

Captain McDonald Explains.

Benton Harbor, July 25, Editor of EVENING NEWS.—In your Saturday's issue there appeared a notice of foreclosure proceeding against me in favor of Mrs. Sarah R. Worth, through her brother Wells Riford, for \$500, secured by mortgage. This property does not belong to me and has not for over two years although I borrowed the money. I am not Shylock, consequently I am not foreclosing land contracts that I hold against poor people especially in such times as these, and when my security is as good as Mrs. Worth's. And not boasting over this matter, when the court is willing to give me a deed, I will put up the amount of this mortgage with interest and other expenses and then feel that I have made \$300 very easily.

JAMES McDONALD.

Rehearsal.

The Evening News band will meet for their regular rehearsal this evening.

Sick headache, biliousness, constipation and all liver and stomach troubles can be quickly cured by using those famous little pills known as DeWitt's Little Early Risers. They are pleasant to take and never gripe. Geo. M. Bell & Co.

T. F. Anthony, Ex-Postmaster, of Promise City, Iowa, says: "I bought one bottle of 'Mystic Cure' for rheumatism, and two doses of it did me more good than any medicine I ever took." Sold by G. M. Bell & Co. Druggists, Benton Harbor, 103 Main street.

Bob Moore, of LaFayette, Ind., says that for constipation he has found DeWitt's Little Early Risers to be perfect. They never gripe. Try them for stomach and liver troubles. Geo. M. Bell & Co.

THE LEADER STORE.

We have just bought out a stock of clothing and gents' furnishings at 50 cents on the dollar and will sell the same below first cost. Also shoes, underwear, notions, glassware and tinware are sold at the lowest prices in town. If you need anything in the line of jewelry and watches or repairing come to us and find out our prices.

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Ralph Benton at Baker's hardware store cleans gasoline stoves. tfr846

HAVE YOU CORNS?

Prof. Denney at Hotel Benton cures them.

Prof. L. Denney, a noted chiropodist, is at Hotel Benton, where he is removing corns, bunions, warts and ingrowing nails. All work done without pain. New French method of chiropody and mancuring. Mayor Brant and others recommend him. 12t862

Try a bottle of that high grade varnish renewer. Guaranteed not to injure the finest finish. Just the thing for your piano or furniture. For sale by Bowman, 118 Pipestone St. 6t868

Mid-summer clearing sale of all millinery for next 30 days at Chadwick & Remm's, Van Horn's store. 12t858

"I think DeWitt's Witch Hazel Salve is the finest preparation on the market for piles." So writes John C. Dunn, of Wheeling, W. Va. Try it and you will think the same. It also cures eczema and all skin diseases. Geo. M. Bell & Co.

Finest line of 835 bicycles in Berrien county by Wallace Bros. 83ft

The ice sold by Hoskins & Barnes is from 10 to 14 inches thick and free from snow. Telephone 124.



A Beautiful Present

FREE for a few months to all users of the celebrated ELASTIC STARCH, (Flat Iron Brand). To induce you to try this brand of starch, so that you may find out for yourself that all claims for its superiority and economy are true, the makers have had prepared, at great expense, a series of

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exact reproductions of the \$10,000 originals by Muville, which will be given you ABSOLUTELY FREE by your grocer on conditions named below. These Plaques are 40 inches in circumference, are free of any suggestion of advertising whatever, and will ornament the most elegant apartment. No manufacturing concern ever before gave away such valuable presents to its customers. They are not for sale at any price, and can be obtained only in the manner specified. The subjects are:

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English Quail, English Snipe.

The birds are handsomely embossed and stand out natural as life. Each Plaque is bordered with a band of gold.

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..Mortgage Sale..

Men's straw hats worth to 30c, 10c.

Men's Rockford socks, worth 8c, 5c.

Men's working shirts, worth 50c (slightly soiled) 25c.

Men's initialed handkerchiefs, a 30c quality, 19c.

Assorted lot men's neckwear up to 35c values, 19c.

Men's gauze underwear, worth 30c, 19c.

Men's summer merino underwear, worth 60c, 37½c.

Men's cuff buttons, assorted styles, worth 25c, 12½c.

Men's negligee shirts, well worth 60c, 42c.

Ladies' embroidered handkerchiefs, some that sold at 30c, 19c.

Mixed lot ladies' handkerchiefs up to 8c values, 4c.

Ladies' summer vests, that were 25 and 30c, 19c.

Ladies' summer vests that were 50 and 60c, 36c.

White muslin embroideries, worth to 10 yd, 5c.

Ladies' white aprons, some that were 20c, 15c.

Best quality German knitting yarn, worth 30c, 1 pound skein, 21c.

Black and colored Saxony yarn, worth 10c skein, 6c.

Broken lot childrens' underwear, up to 25c values, 5c.

25 boys' suits, assorted, all wool clothes, 12 to 18 years, worth to \$7.00, \$3.50.

Men's Cheviot suits, positively all wool, worth \$7.25--\$4.40.

Strongly made bib overalls, regular price 60c—40c.

Fancy woolen bicycle hose, regular price \$1.00—69c.

Black cotton bicycle hose, worth 35c—19c

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